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SUBJECT: ISRAELI INTERCEPTION OF MEA AIRLINER AUGUST 10

1. EMBASSYS WORKING LEVEL CONTACTS IN ISRAELI GOVERNMENT CIVIL AVIATION CIRCLES HAVE REVEALED IN RECENT DAYS THEY ARE FURIOUS ABOUT INTERCEPTION OF MEA AIRLINER. THEY FEEL IT WAS A POLITICAL DECISION TAKEN EITHER IN DISREGARD TO ADVICE FROM CIVIL AVIATION AUTHORITIES OR WITHOUT CONSULTING SENIOR CIVIL AVIATION PEOPLE. WHILE ONE SENIOR TRANSPORT MINISTRY OFFICIAL WAS CONSULTED, OUR CONTACTS SAY HE REALLY DOES NOT UNDERSTAND CIVIL AVIATION. THEY ARE SERIOUSLY WORRIED ABOUT POSSIBILITY ISRAEL BEING THROWN OUT OF ICAO.
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